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PAMPERED PETS **PAGE 6-7**

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facial at DoGone Fun on
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from yucky ...



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... to, well, still
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GAME DAY



Fire vs. Kansas City
3 p.m. Saturday
Toyota Park



Blackhawks vs. Anaheim
7:30 p.m. Saturday
United Center



DRINK

Zubazpalooza *Lincoln Park*

Bad news for the fashion police: Zubaz pants are making a comeback! Party like it's 1993 and show off the flashy workout gear on a crawl of five bars with the free "Zubus" transporting crawlers between spots. Includes **McGee's Tavern & Grille** (950 W. Webster Ave.), **Durkin's Tavern** (810 W. Diversey Pkwy.), **Duffy's Tavern and Grill** (420 W. Diversey Pkwy.), **Redmond's Ale House** (3358 N. Sheffield Ave.) and **Wrightwood Tap** (1059 W. Wrightwood Ave.). Purchase pants (\$30) and T-shirts (\$15) at the bars, and enter raffles to win Zubaz swag. No cover.

When: 2-6 p.m. Saturday

PARTY

Wax Trax fundraiser *Boystown*

Show your support for the LGBT community at a benefit for **Center on Halsted** (3656 N. Halsted St. 773-472-6469) hosted by the Chicago record label. Jon Langford, Chris Connelly and the Blue Ribbon Glee Club perform in a cabaret-style show. The bash includes appetizers, four drinks and silent auctions for an autographed Nine Inch Nails keyboard, Wax Trax-related memorabilia and more. \$15.

When: 6-9 p.m. Saturday



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Spring food drive

West Town

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When: 1:30-3:30 p.m. Saturday

BUZZ

Tom Hanks Day

Fizz Bar & Grill, 3220 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-348-6088

Watch "Bosom Buddies," "Forrest Gump," "The Money Pit" and other flicks starring the Academy Award-winning actor. Also, sip \$1 PBR drafts and enter to win Hanks memorabilia in a raffle (\$1 or five for \$3). Noon-6 p.m. Saturday. No cover.



Octavarius: Battle for the Belt

Stage 773, 1225 W. Belmont Ave. 773-327-5252

Combat Zone Wrestling heavyweight champion "The Ego" Robert Anthony hosts a pro-wrestling-themed comedy throwdown as the Octavarius improv group splits up to fight for a title and belt. 7 p.m. Sunday. \$15.



LAUGH

Sarah Silverman *Loop*

Jimmy Kimmel's ex won an Emmy for "[Bleeping] Matt Damon," wrote a best-selling book about wetting the bed and has had a few appearances in dramedies on the way, but now she's returning to her roots in stand-up. See the boundary-pushing comedian and star of "The Sarah Silverman Program" at The Chicago Theatre (175 N. State St. 312-462-6300) for what is sure to be an "anything goes" show. \$35.

When: 8 p.m. Saturday.

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NEW ON THE SCENE

Bridge Bar

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River North "cocktail kitchen" from Fulton's on the River. Sip savory drinks made with jerky-infused spirits or snack on upscale bites, including oysters and duck fat popcorn.

Hotdogeria

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American street food meets global ingredients in Lincoln Park. The carryout spot features ethnic hot dogs such as the Colombia with pineapple sauce, cole-slaw and potato chips.

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Cozy Bucktown eatery with rustic decor. The menu features authentic Italian dishes using fresh, local ingredients and house-made pastas, as well as Euro-style coffee.

Red Cross fundraiser

Atlantic Bar & Grill, 5062 N. Lincoln Ave.
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Tourney pools sure are easy

When it comes to sports, I am way out in right field—or is it left field? Whichever is worse.

I can't follow football to save my life, it took an entire kickball season before I got the rules straight, and even beer pong confounds me a little -- it's actually called Beirut? It's all so confusing.

Yet despite my lack of knowledge (and interest) in sports, I still like to play along. So each year when NCAA Tournament time comes along, I like to put my ignorance to the test—and usually it pays off.

That's right, folks—I'm the know-nothing jerk who beats you in the office pool every year.

Before I continue, I should say that I sympathize with the hard-core basketball fans who can't seem to beat me. I see almost every movie nominated for an Academy Award, and each year I lose the Oscar pool to my friend Rachel, who sees zero films. None! She just guesses!

At least I employ strategies. The first time I joined an office pool, I finished second, beating a host of people who, you know, have a clue about how the game is played. How did I accomplish this amazing feat? With a little help from the Interwebs, of course. I took a lot of time to carefully research each team's mascot and rank them in the order from my least favorite to most. Would a Panther beat a Buckeye? (Yes.) Is a Sycamore or a Peacock lamer? (Tough call.) And what exactly are Crimson Tides and Red Storms—superheroes or medical conditions?

It's not that I don't care about basketball—though that's true too—it's that I get a kick out of playing and potentially winning competitions I have no general knowledge about.

Not to brag, but one year I did pretty well by loosely basing my picks on the bracket "CSI: Miami" star Emily Procter posted online.

This year, my selection strategy was a highly unscientific formula in which I asked myself, "Have I been to this school's town before? Did I like it? Would I want to go?" And it seems to work. What, you didn't expect to see Richmond or Florida State in the Sweet 16? I did. (Though I also picked Pittsburgh. Nobody's perfect.) We'll see if my strategy holds up over the next few days. Or is it weeks? Months? How long does this tournament last?

The sad part—or aggravating, depending on your perspective—is that I don't even monitor the tournament. I just ask questions such as "What's a seed? Is this about horticulture?" and wait for someone to say, "I can't believe Steele is winning. And he doesn't even care?!" AAAAAAAAAAARGH!!!" before jumping out the window.

Because I am doing fairly well again this year, I'm considering joining one of those fantasy baseball leagues I've been hearing so much about. I wonder if my friends will let me join.

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New rules

By Georgia Garvey | REDEYE

Time marches on, and this week it felt like it was marching over RedEye's face. We came to terms with a lot of change the past few days, changes both gigantic (like the passing of an icon in Elizabeth Taylor) and relatively inconsequential. Here, we dissect some of the new realities.



Adios, TD returns

At least that's what most of the Chicago Bears and Bears fans are thinking, after the league moved kick returns back by five yards. Devin Hester must have been crying into his pillow made of money.



App store flap

Apple might have claimed dibs on the "App Store" name, but Amazon's not letting that go without a fight over its new "Appstore." Battling Apple for digital supremacy is the new Super Bowl, apparently.

Who wears the pants?

Apparently, Wonder Woman does. Not that there's anything particularly empowering about a skirt or a bathing suit-style costume, but the new outfit might take some getting used to.



QUOTABLE

"If my father had to divorce my mother for any one, I'm so grateful that it was Elizabeth. ... This was a remarkable woman who led her life to the fullest rather than complacently following one around."

—Carrie Fisher, speaking about her stepmother, Elizabeth Taylor, in a statement Wednesday, according to CNN. Taylor was 79.

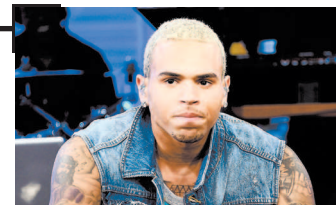
Heat index

RedEye takes the temperature of current events.



Margin of victory

Bulls destroy two teams by combined 70-plus points



Hot-blooded

Chris Brown goes rogue at "GMA," then apologizes



Mag Mike

Jordan opening restaurant on Michigan Avenue



Kansas sucks ...

... the life out of Illinois in the NCAA tourney



Recovering

Wyclef Jean shot in the hand in Haiti



Gas pains

Fuel prices expected to hit \$5 before summer. Ouch.

FOR PAMPERED POOCHES, TOO MUCH IS JUST RIGHT IT'S A RUFF LIFE

By John Lendman

FOR REDEYE

When Lisa Dorr pampers her cocker spaniel, Marvin, she rewards him with a treat or squeaky toy. But her twin sister, Alison Dorr, takes it a few steps further, springing for aquatic treadmill sessions and acupuncture for her bulldog, Spike.

"He would just melt almost immediately after the [acupuncture] needles were placed along his spine," Alison said.

Lisa agreed that luxury pet services are worth it—if you can afford them.

"I don't have the means to do it for Marvin," said Lisa, 41, of Lakeview. "But [Spike] really enjoyed it, and you could see his whole mood change."

Spike, who suffers from arthritis, goes to The Royal Treatment in North Center, where acupuncture is about \$78 a session after a \$225 consultation, and regular underwater runs on a doggy treadmill start at \$40.

Those types of upscale services are growing more popular as some owners have no limits on indulging their pets.

In fact, experts say, pet pampering has been seemingly recession-proof. Dog owners in particular have been feeding the roughly \$47 billion pet-service industry by buying aromatherapy treatments, extravagant pet parties, massages and workouts with personal trainers, according to the American Pet Products Association.

"Owners aren't just buying designer accessories and treats," said Tierra Bonaldi, pet lifestyle expert at the APPA. "Now it's extended to pampered puppy spa packages, organic food, health supplements and stays at luxury hotels."

Enter Stay: A Modern Dog Hotel in Ravenswood, where owners book luxury kennels for up to \$75 a night paired with aquatic fitness, treadmill sessions and nature walks months in advance, kennel supervisor Edgar Hernandez said.

About 200 dogs regularly stay in these lavish boarding suites, souped up with Web cameras for owners to watch their pets from

For the glamour puss

If you think cats couldn't care less about TLC, you probably haven't heard of Meeow Chicago.

Jennifer Schilling didn't find many bark-free (read: stress-free) spas and kennels for cats, so she opened one at 1804 W. Lake St. in December.

Boarding suites start at \$35 a night and are appointed with French doors, modern cat trees, lounging baskets, tinted bubble windows, TVs programmed to flying birds and even automatic lasers shooting around for complete feline entertainment. Spa services, ranging from \$45-\$135, include peppermint ear cleanses, relaxing nail trims, colorful nail painting and teeth cleansing.

In the spa, clients can even opt for the "kitty Brazilian," Schilling said. But don't worry, there's no waxing involved. "It's just a very tight, clean, inner leg and little buttocks clip—and it looks just like a Brazilian, owners say." J.L.

smart phones or laptops, Hernandez said.

Stay also arranges professional photo shoots, costing up to \$250 a session, if you want your dog photographed on the nature trail in Horner Park or by the river.

"We've been extremely busy; we're pretty much a full kennel," he said. "People really want to pamper their pets when they come here."

Pampering also means relaxation. At Do-Gone Fun in the South Loop, pets can get acupuncture massages, aromatherapy sessions (for jumpy dogs), deep-conditioning facials or a full spa treatment with a "Pretty Paws Pet-icure" for \$115.

"A paw massage for example stimulates the circulation in their feet. Just like for people, it feels good and refreshes them," owner Beverly Petrunich said. "If you were to see a pet massage therapist just touch a dog and see how they respond, it's amazing—they just love it."

Grooming artists also do custom fur dyes, modern styling and shape trendy Mohawks, Petrunich says.



Maddy celebrates her birthday at Dog-a-holics.

LENNY GILMORE/REDEYE PHOTOS



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1 Minny runs on a water treadmill at Stay: A Modern Dog Hotel.

2 Scarlett has her nails painted by master groomer Dan Vaughn at DoGone Fun.

3 Bauer celebrates his birthday with owner Stacy Thomas at Dog-a-holics.

4 Lucius celebrates his birthday at Dog-a-holics.

5 Birdy (left, who is up for adoption) and Henry swim at Stay.

With their hair done, pampered pets are ready to party. Dog-a-holics, with locations in Wrigleyville and Lincoln Park, hosts birthdays, adoption anniversaries and even “bark mitzvahs.”

A two-hour bash of balloons, music, doggy ice cream cups, personalized dog cakes, gift bags and games is available for up to 18 dogs and their owners for \$350.

“Business continues to stay strong because so many dogs are treated like family members,” Dog-a-holics owner Candace Canty said. “We help create an experience and a special bond

between the owner and the dog.”

Of course, lavish parties and days at the doggy spa aren’t for everyone.

Boystown resident Amanda Heiser said you’d never catch her painting her 1-year-old terrier Sherman’s nails, dyeing his fur or even carrying him around in a handbag.

“Dogs are pets, they’re not meant to be treated like humans,” Heiser, 26, said. “When people treat their animals like babies instead of dogs, they take away from the dog’s natural role.”

But Joanne Tamulewicz thinks of a little luxury as a way to say thanks to Cooper McLovin,

her 3-year-old cockapoo.

Tamulewicz, 51, of Roscoe Village, treats Cooper to a birthday cakes from the Dog-a-holics bakery, a handful of toys and treats every week or two, and the occasional winter jacket to keep him warm, she said, running her about \$125 a month after grooming expenses.

“Cooper is like the blessing in our life,” she said. “I usually go in [Dog-a-holics] for one thing and walk out with a bag of stuff—it just makes him so happy.”

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The price of pampering

Want to do something extra for your pet? Here’s how much kibble you can expect to dole out. J.L.

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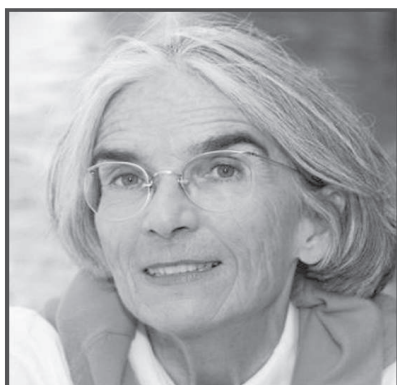
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816 MAY SINGLE FAMILY
Perfect for Rehab, Includes Architectural Plans
1 Story Brick Building. With Full Basement &
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Residential For Sale—City North

CHICAGO \$629,000 CB330834
3847 N. KEELER SINGLE FAMILY
Charming Old Irving Park, 2 Story Victorian
w/Basement, 3Bedrooms, 1 1/2 Baths on
50x175' lot. Call John S, 312-218-5112

CHICAGO CB330806
8046 S. KIRKLAND AVE SINGLE FAMILY
US Treasury Dept Seized Real Estate
3BR/1BA/Basement/garage. Open 4/10& 4/17,
1-4pm. Online Auction April 19-21.
11-66-918/\$1,000 Deposit. 703.273.7373.
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CHICAGO, IL \$- CB330147
TRUMP TOWER WANTED TO BUY
Wanted to buy, Trump Hotel condotel studios or
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OLD TOWN \$799000 CB020572
1725 N. MOHAWK ST, 3 CONDO



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Penthouse Magnificent City Views on desirable
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Private Roof Deck, Balcony, Garage + Easy non
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Residential For Sale—NW

BENSENVILLE, IL \$299,900 CB331577
ELMHURST SCHOOL DISTRICT RANCH
3 Bedroom, 2 bathroom, 1st floor family room,
park-like lot, fireplace, 2 car attached garage.
Call Jim Lucas, Prospect Equities, 630-833-9343.

GALENA \$132,900 CB330810
ILLINOIS TOWNHOUSE
Spring Special - Galena Eagle Ridge Resort 2Be-
droom 2 bath end unit overlooking 12th fairway
of South Course. Priced at \$132, 900 until April
25th. Call Realtor Damen Heim 815.266-1953.

NILES, IL CB330832
7424 W JONQUIL SFH
Open 3/27, 1p - 3p. Move-In cond. 5 rooms, 2Br
Brick ranch. Updated. Full fin. bsmt. 2.5 car gar.
Estate Sale. Call Ann, Aaby Realty 773-763-5050

Residential For Sale—City West

CALUMET CITY CB317752
113 154TH PL APT-CONV
Bank owned. On site RE auction-Sat Apr 9, 4pm -
1,110 SF, Free color brochure 1-800-260-5846.
AuctionServicesIntl.com Dan Loftus #040000315

HILLSIDE CB320988
516 N. LAVERNE AVE 3BR/1BA
Bank owned. On site RE auction-Sat Apr 23,
11am 1,584SF, Free color brochure 800-260-5846
AuctionServicesIntl.com Dan Loftus #040000315

Residential For Sale—West

BOLINGBROOK \$249,888 CB330824
258 BOXWOOD ST HOUSE
Open House 3/27, 1 - 3p Invigorating! Stunning!
Wilshire model on corner lot w/lots of upgrades.
4 br, 2.1 ba, 2 cgar, Coldwell Bkr 847-204-2088

Residential For Sale—West

ELMHURST, IL \$450,000 CB324524
CLOSE TO BUTTERFIELD AND YORK HOME
Lot 60' x 270' close to park, schools, pools,
shops and all xpressways. New ospital less than
1 mile away. Contact 630-833-7961

FIVE ISLANDS PARK \$287000 CB020561
7N104 BLACKHAWK DR SFH



Fox River Waterfront, St. Charles Twp. 2 MBR,
2 FB/2 HB. 1950 SF. Remodeled. Boat Ramp,
Legal Dock, Barn + Shed, 2 Living Areas, Patio +
Gazebo. Fantastic Location! Owner Transferred
- Priced to Sell! 847-697-8159

LOMBARD, IL \$186,500 CB321502
2260 S. GRACE CONDO
Lux. condo 2br, form. dining rm, eat-in kitch, 2
full ba. Indr heated pking. All appl. incl. Very de-
sirable condo assoc. Move-in Rdy. 630-762-9404

RURAL OHIO \$175000 CB020554
19 SHEEHAN ROAD LAND



Showing by Appt. Contact Doug Phalen 815-
343-4208 or email at DMP1718@yahoo.com

Residential For Sale—City South

HEGEWISCH \$197900 CB020036
13144 S. MUSKEGON SFH
March 27, 2011 1p.m. - 4p.m. Must See Galley
Kitchen & Finished Basement with Glassblock
Bar, Faux Finish Painting, & Custom Crown
Molding and Trim!!

SAINT JOHN, INDIANA \$221900 CB020632
8660 PRIMROSE DR. SFH
03/26-27/2011 12:00 - 3:00 Country living
37 miles to Chicago. Three bedroom ranch
home, excellent schools, Call 765 623-5444 for
complete E-mail flyer with directions.

Residential For Sale—S/SW

HEINWEPIN, IL \$180,000 CB327459
7347 AUDUBON DR. SINGLE FAMILY
3 bedroom, 3 bathroom on 2 acres with finished
basement, pool, & all appliances included. Ev-
erything new, ready for move-in. 815-925-7253.

Commercial For Sale—City

CHICAGO 80' X 100' CB324604
773-936-6000 INVEST. PROP
Great investment on the NW corner of Grand &
Ashland, 33 S.R.O. w/ 2 sep. bldgs.1st flr has
popular lounge, good inc. Must sell. Make offer.

CHICAGO 9,064 CB017967
312-643-0165 COMMERCIAL
FULLY OCCUPIED TURNKEY BUSINESS 12-
unit RENOVATED Res Apt Bldg 312-643-0165
www.2501WMarquette.com \$300K 4 Quick Sale.
New mod bit roof, elec, cpr pipes, etc MUST SEE

Commercial For Sale—NW

UNION 5,000 SF CB313269
847-381-9080 COMMERCIAL
Industrial, mfg/Warehouse. \$299,900
Contact L.B. Andersen & company for more info.

Commercial For Sale—West

ST. CHARLES, IL - CB324504
630-377-2336 LOTS
15 Commercial Lots Greatly Reduced. 1.10 Acres-
3.50 Acres. Across from new Post Office & Fair-
grounds. Vestuto R.E. Corp 630-377-2336

Commercial For Sale—S/SW

OTTAWA 28000 CB020435
815-433-3111 COMMERCIAL
Sealed Bid Auction May 17 for commercial/ light
industrial building, 28,000+ sq. ft. Near I-80. Go
to skiphupp.com for more details.

Commercial For Rent—City

CHICAGO - CB331541
602-690-1087 GAS STATION
Gas station for lease. Busy corner, 23rd and She-
ridan Rd. Zion. High traffic, good opportunity. Re-
duced to \$3000/mo. By Owner.

LINCOLN PARK 700-4100 SQ FT CB310015
312-953-7028 STORES

Stores for rent on Clark.
Great Location.

CHICAGO N SIDE 500-350,000 SF WEBCEB323124
773-385-5700 OFFICE/WAREHOUSE
Warehouse Office Manufacturing, Dock, Shops,
Parking, Storage, Great Price. 20' Ceilings. Call
Peter 773-385-5700, pierportre@sbcglobal.net

CHICAGO WEBCEB326024

BUILDINGS BOUGHT, SOLD, TRADED, LEASED
BACKCall Peter 773-385-5700 Ext. 225 or email at
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CHICAGO N. SIDE WEBCEB327412
773-385-5700 OFFICE/COMM
Production Food Spaces w/ sinks, hoods, heavy
power, gas, electric plus. City approved restaur-
ant & prod. spaces. USDA approved. Call Peter

Commercial For Rent—NW

DES PLAINES 1ST & PRAIRIE WEBCEB320556
MANUF/OFFICE

10,000 sf commercial manufacturing space. In-
side dock, 14 foot ceilings, a/c throughout, 600A-
3phase elec serv, 900 SF office included. Walk to
Metra and Pace. Under \$5 per square foot.

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ARLINGTON HEIGHTS 1,300 SF WEBCEB324734
847-564-1600 OFFICE/WHSE
Arlington Hts at Golf & Algonquin. Des Plaines on
Rand Road. OH doors, bed level docks. Aggres-
sive deals with FREE rent. josephrealstate.net

Apt For Rent—City

CHICAGO \$698-832 CB324537
4501 N. CENTRAL PARK APARTMENT
Central Park Apts. has its affordable housing
waiting list opened for: **1BR-\$698 & 2BR-\$832**.
Cable Ready, W/W Carpet, On-site Laundry
Room, Heating and Cooking Gas Included.
All interested person must call the office
Mon-Fri, 9am to 5pm at 773.772.4063

LINCOLN PARK \$450 WEBCEB325739
2653 N. CLARK HOTEL ROOMS
"The Heart of Lincoln Park" \$125/Wk, \$450/mo
HOTEL COVENT. TV room, A/C, Maid, Parking.
Men's residence. 773-549-3399

Apt For Rent—North

SKOKIE \$690-825 CB321994
OKAONT & KILPATRICK APARTMENT
Large 1 Bedroom, Separate Dining Room, De-
corated, Laundry Room, Heated, No Pets, Near
Park & Shopping. 847-676-2124

Apt For Rent—Northwest

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS \$845 CB327027
53 AND LAKE COOK APARTMENT
2 bedrooms, 1 bath, heat and water included.
Call 630-289-0979

Apt For Rent—Northwest

BARRINGTON \$1,300-1,500 WEBCEB317366
CONCORD & BRISTOL TOWNHOUSE
BARRINGTON PICKWICK PLACE

The Chicago area's finest rentals.
2 & 3 Bedroom townhomes in a neighborhood
of fine homes near Bakers Lake.
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CHICAGO \$1100 CB322972
CUMBERLAND AND BRYN MAWR APARTMENT
3br, 2ba, parking, laundry, heated, new carpet.
\$1100/mo. Contact 773-988-8524

DES PLAINES \$775 CB330790
NW HWY & LAUREL APARTMENT
HUGE UPDATED 1 bedroom, 4 flat, heat & park-
ing included, dishwasher, laundry, walk to train,
Call 847-338-8388

JEFFERSON PARK \$800.00 CB020617
4907 N. MARMORA AVE. APT
Higgins/Austin
Lg Eat-In Kitch 3 bdrms 1.5 bath
Walk to Jeff Pk Station
Available Now. Call 312-952-0765.

NILES \$675 CB320096
DEMPSTER & MILWAUKEE APARTMENT
1 bedroom, heat, appliances, carpeting, no pets,
near shops & transportation. Call 847-272-6009

NILES \$845/MONTH CB330848
8830 N. ROOT APARTMENT
2 Bedroom, carpet, appliances, decorated, heat-
ed, AC, Laundry facilities. No pets. Available
now! Call: 847-965-7288.

ROSEMONT, IL CB330869
TOUHY AND MANNHEIM APARTMENT
1 bedroom apartment. Available now. Heat, hot
water, cooking gas included. Call 847-912-7316
or 847-205-0905.

Apt For Rent—City North

AVONDALE \$850 CB330800
DIVERSY & PULASKI APARTMENT
2 bedroom, washer/dryer in unit,
\$850 + utilities,
Call 847-279-8490

CHICAGO CB327277
NORTH SIDE APARTMENTS
Diversey Square Apts/HHDC will be reopening
the waiting list for their subsidized units on Mar
31st, 9-1pm. They will accept 72(1br), 54(2br), 10
(3br) and 10(4br) pre-applications. Interested
persons must call 773.227.8203 to place
their names on the in-
terested perons list to
receive a pre-appl
call by mail. NO
WALK-INS ACCEPTED

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NORTH SIDE ROOM FOR RE
Room with Stove, Refrigerator, Bath & Shiny
Wood Floors. Near Shopping/Transportation.
Good Heat. 773-561-4970

CHICAGO \$110/WK CB326063
NORTH SIDE ROOM FOR RE
Room with Stove, Refrigerator, Bath & Shiny
Wood Floors. Near Shopping/Transportation.
Good Heat. 773-561-4970

CHICAGO NW CB331959
CUMBERLAND & FOSTER APARTMENT
Second floor. 2 Bedroom, No Pets, Private Park-
ing, Pool, Carpeted, Store Room, Laundry. Heat.
Call: 708-453-9042

CHICAGO NORTH \$475 CB321494
NORTH AVE & CENTRAL PARK ROOM FOR RENT
Furn room w/Kitchen & bath, \$475 incl. utilities,
cable tv & internet in room, private mailbox, A/C,
no pets, non smoking. Safe area. 312-714-6520

CHICAGO \$1350-1400 CB330858
1712 N. MEADE (AUSTIN AREA) APARTMENT
New Renovated 2nd flr apt, 3br \$1350/mo and
1st flr, 3br w/ finished bsmt. \$1400/mo. Section 8
Welcome. Call Stephanie 630-878-9325

CHICAGO \$850 CB330825
FOSTER & CALIFORNIA APARTMENT
Near Swedish Hosp, North Park & Northeastern
College. 1 large basement apt, utilities included,
no pets or smoking. 773-334-0136

Apt For Rent—City North

CHICAGO \$1,395 CB328605
1501 W. BELMONT SENIOR LIVING
Seniors 55+. Open the door to a new way of liv-
ing! Corner 1BR w/huge open LR/DR. Great kit w/
DW. Club room,deck,storage. EOH 773-975-1501.

CHICAGO \$800 CB322183
7710 N. SHERIDAN CONDO
1 BR, elevator, laundry, new appliances, counter-
tops, fixtures & flrs. next to lake, prkg avail, in-
tercom, close to trans, **sec 8 welc**. 312-617-9775

CHICAGO \$800 CB319018
AUSTIN/MONTROSE APARTMENT
Newly remodeled 2BR, eat-in-kitchen, Large Liv-
ing Rm, Hardwood floors, \$800/mo excluding
utilities+ 1 month security deposit. 847-942-2680

EAST ROGERS PARK \$650-800 CB329013
TOUHY & SHERIDAN APARTMENT
3 room Studio \$650 & 4 room 1 bedroom \$800,
renovated, hardwood floors, elevator bldg, heat
& cooking gas included, no pets, 773-973-5125

EDGEWATER \$1295 CB020510
6301 N. SHERIDAN RD CONDO
2 BR condo overlooking Lake. Free heat,
internet & cable. 24 hour doorman. Covered
parking. Close to bus, train. Pet Friendly.
847-502-5411.

EDISON PARK \$700 CB329315
4450 NORTHWEST HWY APARTMENT
1 bedroom, great location, near bus-train-shop-
ping. Includes heat, parking, laundry room.
Contact 630-617-5734 / 847-295-5739

EDISON PARK \$960 CB019681
7606 W. DEVON AVE. APT
Large 2 bedroom apartment with laundry
facilities, heat and hot water included, close
to public transportation. No pets. Call for
additional info. 773.631.7676

GOLDCOAST \$1000 CB020481
59 E. CEDAR CONDO
LARGE 1BD/1BA with hardwood floors, high
ceilings, laundry is avail now. Heat, water, cable
and gas included! Steps from Shopping, Lake
and Nightlife. Please call (312) 437-8787.

LAKEVIEW \$1750 CB329354
3430 LAKESHORE DR. CONDO
Condo rental, \$1750/mo. 2br, 2ba, lake and har-
bor views. Bright, sunny throughout. Garage
available. No Pets. Agent: 773-398-4359

Apt For Rent—City North

LINCOLN PARK \$1850 CB330791
FULLERTON & HALSTED APARTMENT
SPACIOUS vintage beauty, 1500 sf, living rm +
dining rm, 3 lg br, high ceilings, deck, backyard,
prkg gar avail, heat incl. No Agt 312-972-3582

LINCOLN PARK \$1400 CB330829
HOWE ST APARTMENT
Location! Lg 2br, 2ba, hardwood floors, dish-
washer, washer/dryer, central air. \$1400/mo
+util. jminam@ameritech.net. Call 847-382-3543

LOGAN SQUARE \$800 CB321589
3722 W MCLEAN APARTMENT
BEAUTIFUL! 2 Bedroom. All new unit-kitchen &
bath. Hardwood floors, laundry, fenced.
NEW & PAINTED. Avail NOW! Call 815-919-9688.

NORTH PARK \$885 WEBCEB328578
5220 N. CHRISTINA APARTMENT
2BR, 1BA, 2nd Floor Unit, Hardwood Floors, Din-
ing Room, Near University & Transportation.
Heat included. 847-331-0993

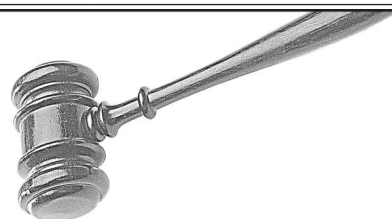
OLD IRVING \$735 CB330830
ELSTON & PULASKI APARTMENT
3rooms, 1BR, 2nd flr, heating & cooking gas in-
cluded. Across from grocery. Laundry facility in
building. Sec Dep 1/2 month. 773-329-1353

ROGERS PARK \$1050/MO CB329234
DAMEN & RAVENSWOOD APARTMENT
2 brs, large living & dining room areas, 1 bath-
room, hardwood flrs, central a/c & heat, Section
8 Welcome. Call contact George 773-562-6606

W RODGERS PARK \$1,200/MO CB331903
PILSEN & CALIFORNIA APARTMENT
2nd floor, 2 flat building, 4 BR, LR, DR, garage,
heat included. Brand new kitchen and bathroom.
Available immediately. Call Chris 847-224-0295.

WRIGLEYVILLE \$980-1350-UTIL CB319421
APARTMENT
Spacious 1&2BR, NO DEPOSIT. Great Kit w/deck,
Formal D/R, Oak Floors, Pet friendly. Pkg Avail.
urbanequities.com 773.743.4141

Apt For Rent—West



AUCTION MART

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Material deadline: Friday 5PM

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ADDISON \$680-\$790 **WECB8330828**
419 STEVENS DR. UNFURN APTS
Large 1 bedroom \$680, 2 bedroom \$790. Includes heat/water/appliances/AC/parking. New tenant specials available. 630-543-5277

ADDISON \$675 **WECB8324966**
125 S. VILLA AVE. APARTMENT
New Tenant Special! 1BR, \$675/mo+\$400 dep. Heat/water incl. Laundry on-site. Hardwood flrs. Cable ready. Assigned Prkg Space. 630-530-0474

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Large luxury 1 and 2 BRs. Penthouse available. Downtown location. Elevator. Secure, indoor, parking all appls. W/D. No Pets. 630-782-1400

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ILLINOIS APARTMENT
Studio \$649 & 1 Bedrooms \$749 and up. Up-scale, secure building, elevator, near to train & downtown, small dogs ok. Call 630-497-7777

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NORTH AVE & 1ST APARTMENT
1 bedroom, newly decorated, heat included, great for students, \$650 + \$300 security. Call 773-301-3137

OAK PARK \$1200 **CB314019**
AUGUSTA & CHICAGO APARTMENT
2 bedroom, 1 bath, 2nd floor, security deposit, tenant pays utilities. Call 708-710-9305

OAK PARK **WECB8321741**
810 S. OAK PARK AVE. APARTMENT
1,300 SF. Completely renovated. Refrigerator, stove, d/w, heat & air. Hdwd flrs thru-out, w/d. Grocery steps away. Charlie 630.833.3500 x207

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Westmont-King Arthur Apartments
Beautiful park-like setting. Adjacent to golf course. Lake view. Heated pool. Studios \$635, 1 bedroom \$725 & 2 Bedroom \$865. Heat & cooking gas included. Hardwood floors. No dogs. Office Hours 11-7 Monday-Friday, Saturday 11-6 & Sunday 12-5 630-968-7650

WHEATON, IL \$995 **CB327924**
999 S. LORRAINE RD. APARTMENT
2br in courtyard setting. Includes heat, water cooking gas, and storage. No dogs. 630-690-6969. Hessproperties@sbcglobal.net

WILLOWBROOK KNOLLS \$789 **CB330861**
6113 KNOLLWOOD RD. APARTMENT
Huge 1 bedroom, new decor, w/ walk-in closet, patio, laundry, view, pool, heat & water included, storage. Call 630-853-3896

Apt For Rent—City South

ASHBURN/AUBURN GRESH \$1,000.00 **CB020609**
8344 S. MARSHFIELD APT
2Bedroom, 1, Bathroom, living room, dining room, dean room. Central Air, new windows, carpet floors, Kitchen Appliances, Back porch. Laundry, storage. Garage/outside parking,

Bronzeville \$1000 **CB330859**
4542 S. KING DR. APARTMENT
3 bedroom, 2 bath, nice kitch, formal dr, hdwd flrs, lots of closets, tenant pays utilities. \$1200 Deposit. Avail imm. Call after 6pm 773-965-1584

CHICAGO \$1100 **CB331567**
64TH & KENWOOD DUPLEX
Awesome 2 br, newer construction, W/D, A/C, carpeting, ample closet space, close to transportation, security system. No pets. 773-988-2004.

CHICAGO, IL \$595 **CB313152**
SOUTH AND WESTERN APARTMENT
Entire 1st floor, 700sf, 4 rooms, Hardwood floors, tub and shower. Enclosed back porch. \$595/mo Very Clean. 773-268-7368

CHICAGO - JACKSON PK \$1100 **CB329034**
71ST AND UNIVERSITY APARTMENT
2nd flr, 4br, 2ba. Eat-in kitchen. Custom remodel. \$1100/mo + sec. Section 8 ok. Contact Mr. Wilson 708-473-5537

Apt For Rent—City South

CHICAGO \$1100 **CB330864**
8908 S. BLACKSTONE APARTMENTS
3 Bedrooms, heat included, \$1100. Other available throughout South side of Chicago. Call 773-396-2177

CHICAGO \$2000 **CB330868**
SOUTH LOOP CONDO
Remodeled 2 BR, 2 BA w/ den, corner unit, high floor. Garage, tv/cable, storage, fireplace, 24hr drman incl. W/D in-unit. Pets OK. 773-562-4249

MARQUETTE PARK \$850 **CB331900**
64TH & WHIPPLE APARTMENT
2 bedroom, large living room & dining room, updated kitchen & bath, carpeting, fans, patio, heat included, security. Call 773-776-5075

PULLMAM \$599.00 **CB020557**
10401 S CORLIUS AVE. APT
1 ba, 1 bd 1st floor unit in newly re-habed 6 flat with new appliances. Carpeted. Fenced backyard, next to a school. Call Ken at 708-212-7709

ROSELAND \$775-900 **CB020162**
10500 S. INDIANA AVE. APT
Nice Newly Renovated 2 bdrm Apts New carpet, paint, & window treatments. Garage avail at add'l cost. Utilities separate. Contact 708-497-9693 or mynewplace2011@yahoo.com

SOUTH SHORE \$795.00 **CB020070**
2678 E. 78TH ST. APT
2648 E. 78th St. Chicago 2 BR Newly renovated!!New kit & bath w/ ceramic tile floors, hardwood floors, and much more. Controlled access buildings! 815-931-1021

Apt For Rent—S/SW

BERWYN \$975.00 **CB020555**
3303 GROVE AVENUE APARTMENT
Downtown Berwyn condo- 1 bd, 1ba. Cable, newer, appliances, balcony & heated parking included. washer/dryer in unit. Storage. Metra near by. Call Ken at 708-212-7709.

BLUE ISLAND \$1200 **CB331738**
2435 W WALNUT APARTMENT
Huge, spacious 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 3rd floor. Very Nice building & area. Includes heat. Call Larry : 708-396-8088

HOMEWOOD \$795-945 **WECB8310764**
ILLINOIS UNFURN APT
SPACIOUS 182BR, NO DEPOSIT, GREAT KIT, New APPL.OAK FLOORS, AC. CLOSE TO TRAIN. INCLS HT & PKG 773-743-4141 URBANEQUITIES.COM

Apt For Rent—City West

AUSTIN COMMUNITY \$595 **CB329247**
504 S. LARAMIE AVE. APARTMENTS
Section 8 welcome, newly remodeled 1,2,3, and 4 bedroom apartments. Recently reduced rent. Available from \$595 and up. Heat, water, and appliances included. Equal housing provider. Please call 773-287-1592

Apt For Rent—City South

CHICAGO \$105/WK **WECB8326107**
AUSTIN ROOM FOR RE
Clean Room with Refrigerator and Microwave. Near Oak Park, Wal-Mart, Bus & Metra. 773-637-5957

CHICAGO \$105/WK **WECB8328762**
AUSTIN ROOM FOR RE
Clean Room with Refrigerator and Microwave. Near Oak Park, Wal-Mart, Bus & Metra. 773-637-5957

Residential For Rent—City Central/Loop

GOLD COAST \$1,045-2,290 **WECB8330151**
860 N DEWITT HIGHRISE
1/2 Block from Lake and Water Tower Place. Features include roof deck, conference room, exercise room, storage, garage, AC, 24hr doorman. Heat included. Close to everything. STU \$1045-\$1105 1BR \$1465-\$1630 2BR \$2290 312-642-2860

Residential For Rent—North

WILMETTE \$2,150 **CB330344**
PARK & WILMETTE AVE. TOWNHOME
Avail 2/15/11 Deluxe 3 Br, 2.5 Ba. Eat in kit, patio, all appls. incl W/D. CAC, gar, bsmt, small dogs ok. Alfini Assoc. 847.825.6948/847.498.9397

WINNETKA \$2800/MONTH **CB330838**
1370 SCOTT ST. SINGLE FAMILY



Just Reduced! Charming vintage home on a beautiful block. 4br/2bth, full bsmt, gar, large yard. 773.447.3141 ivan@jenningsrealtyinc.com

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Mildred Pierce

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With acclaimed filmmaker Todd Haynes directing and Oscar winner Kate Winslet starring as “Mildred Pierce,” I expected this five-hour miniseries based on James M. Cain’s 1941 novel to dazzle me.

Instead, I was at times bored, but mostly just irritated.

Set in Depression-era Glendale, Calif., the story begins when homemaker Mildred kicks out her philandering husband, Bert (Brian O’Byrne), without thinking about how she will support their two daughters, 11-year-old Veda (Morgan Turner) and her younger sis, Ray (Quinn McColgan). But she’s an excellent baker of pies, so she gets work as a waitress, studies the business and eventually launches a successful restaurant and bakery chain.

Things aren’t completely rosy for Mildred, thanks to Veda, who is so horrible to her rather sweet mother that it seems inconceivable they share the same blood. Veda starts out as a preteen tyrant who is embarrassed by her working mom and grows into a vicious, self-absorbed monster who fancies herself a high-class princess.

But why? Haynes never explains what has

made Veda so haughty. More important, he fails to explain why Mildred tolerates her behavior and, in later episodes, almost encourages it.

How can such a survivor let her devil spawn ruin her life? Spare the rod and spoil the child, I think not. It’s time for bare-bottom belting, or at least an ending of all ties with the soul- and money-sucking kid. But when that finally happens—and because the now 19-year-old Veda (Evan Rachel Wood) cuts off her mother, mind you—Mildred is crushed.

There’s a mother’s love for her child, and then there’s stupidity. Neither Haynes nor his leading lady explains why Mildred accepts such abuse.

Winslet obviously wanted to create a more subdued Mildred than Joan Crawford did for her Oscar-winning role in the 1945 film, but by dialing back the melodrama she makes Mildred seem confused by Veda, but not particularly hurt and definitely not angry.

Their odd mother-daughter dynamic is inexplicable, and difficult to accept.

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Director Todd Haynes guides Kate Winslet through a scene for the HBO miniseries “Mildred Pierce.” HBO

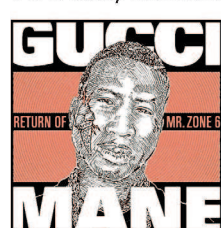
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ALBUM

The Return of Mr. Zone 6

Gucci Mane

Gucci Mane’s new formal mix tape finds him in his best setting—spinning daffy yarns atop spooky trunk-ready minimalism. For a rapper with such a singular voice, Mane’s success often hinges on the quality of his beats. “Zone 6” is a fine sweet spot: “Reckless” is essentially a fussy snare trill; the minimal “I Don’t Love Her” features just a horror show organ and church chime. His notoriously screwball wordplay takes a back seat to a more sedate menace, but Gucci’s inimitable rasp is just as prominent as it should be.



AUGUST BROWN, LOS ANGELES TIMES

BOOK

Dreadfully Ever After

By Steve Hockensmith

The further they get from Jane Austen, the better the zombie mashup books become. Enter “Dreadfully Ever After,” Book 3 in a zombie trilogy that started with



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Directed by Rob Reiner, “Stand By Me” follows the 1959 journey of four friends as they search for the remains of a missing teenager.



The story is narrated by writer Gordie LaChance (Richard Dreyfuss), with Will Wheaton playing young Gordie. During their two-day search for the body, the boys sneak smokes, cuss and tell tall tales, but they also form an everlasting bond. Among the extras is a new documentary “25 Years Later,” which reunites Reiner, Wheaton and Corey Feldman. Kiefer Sutherland, River Phoenix and Jerry O’Connell also star. DOUG NYE, MCT

LOATHE IT



ALBUM

F.A.M.E.

Chris Brown

Even if Chris Brown gets his wish and no one remembers he punched Rihanna in the face, his new album, “F.A.M.E.,” still sounds lost. Brown needs a new persona. He can’t pull off the street tough like his collaborators in “Deuces” or “Look at Me Now,” especially after Busta Rhymes steals that one. He’s not believable as the sweet innocent in the Michael Jackson-sampling “She Ain’t You” or the forlorn “Should’ve Kissed You.” That leaves him with anonymous dance artist, which he adequately plays in “Yeah 3x” and “Beautiful People.” Maybe he can hide out there for a while. GLENN GAMBOA, NEWSDAY



VIDEO GAME

The Sims 3

Nintendo 3DS; available now

Considering it’s appeared in just about every conceivable format, it was inevitable that “The Sims” land on Nintendo’s brand-new handheld device. Apparently a quick cash-in, “The Sims 3” could have been lifted from the console version of the game, with the addition of a bad frame-rate and only semi-interesting 3-D graphics. The 3DS has plenty of cool tricks—a camera, a pedometer and motion controls—but this “Sims” doesn’t take advantage of any of those. Buy it only if you’re dying to play a pocket version of this never-ending virtual dollhouse. RYAN SMITH FOR REDEYE

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By Emily Van Zandt

When my favorite Wrigleyville oasis announced recently that it was launching a weekend brunch, I swooned. A brunch loaded with sausages and other hearty grub seemed like a natural next step for Blokes & Birds, already well-known for a killer beer menu and polished pub fare. I stopped by with friends for the opening to see what the place looked like in the daylight.

The brunch menu ... repurposes ingredients from the lunch and dinner menus. The wild mushrooms doused in truffle oil (a side dish in the evening) get new life in the hash (\$12) and, when we visited, in the omelet of the day (\$10). The restaurant's signature bangers show up in the Bloke's Breakfast (\$14), which piles them on a plate with eggs, bacon, black pudding, potatoes and grilled tomato.

Word is going to get around ... about the killer bloody mary (\$9) being served. With just the right amount of heat thanks to a hefty pour of jalapeno-infused vodka and a stellar beer back (ours was the Young's double chocolate stout), it's one of the best that I've had in a while.

It's too bad there wasn't more flavor ... in the

Bloke's Breakfast. With such a huge selection of bites on the plate, my dining pal was disappointed by how bland most of it was. Our bite of bangers was tasty, and the black pudding was well-seasoned, but on the whole, it had a lot of the same texture. Next time, we're hoping the potatoes are fully cooked.

If you like duck, don't miss ... the hash (\$12), which packs in duck confit, mushrooms, onions, potatoes and two duck eggs. Savory with just the right amount of oh-it's-so-good grease, this is the perfect hangover cure. Not that we had one.

There isn't much to say yet ... about the crowd. We were practically the only ones there. Though it gave me the chance to observe the staff in their natural habitat (don't act like you weren't singing along to "Rocket Man"), but I'm hoping for a more bustling vibe next time.

Bottom line: Simply by taking place, this brunch already has good potential. Once Blokes & Birds finishes tweaking dishes (and properly promoting that bloody mary), I'm sure I won't be the only one in the dining room. **EMILY VAN ZANDT IS THE METROMIX NIGHTLIFE PRODUCER. EVANZANDT@TRIBUNE.COM.**



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ON SALE NOW

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Also wimpy: this bad plot

Diary of a
Wimpy Kid:
Rodrick Rules
(PG)



Seventh grader Greg Hef-fley's (Zachary Gordon) life would be hopelessly awk-ward and insecure without constant harassment from his d-bag older brother, Ro-drick (Devin Bostick). Mom (Rachael Harris) and Dad

(Steve Zahn) want the boys to bond; Greg wants to cozy up to a new cutie in school, Holly Hills (Peyton List). Her adult movie-esque name sounds like a teen boy's fantasy, not the innocence aimed for in Jeff Kin-ney's "Diary of a Wimpy Kid" novels.

The buzz: I had to re-read my own review to remem-ber that 2010's harmless "Diary of a Wimpy Kid" was, apparently, an occasionally insightful coming-of-age story that tried way too hard to be funny. I'm not surprised that the sequel couldn't bring back co-star



'Diary'
TWENTIETH CENTURY FOX

Chloe Moretz ("Kick-Ass," "Let Me In"), who's now got more important things to do.

The verdict: If only the movie were about Greg's best friend, Rowley (Robert Capron), whose total lack of self-consciousness ultimately makes people realize he's cool for just being himself. Greg, on the other hand, is a selfish, whiny kid who doesn't respect his grandpa. Rodrick's fixated on his terrible band,

Loded Diper, and being lazy in the least charismatic way possible. The siblings' adventures don't involve important (or funny) rites of passage, just fake vomit and hosting a "scandalous"/perfectly tame party (no booze, just Coke and orange juice) while the folks are out of town. By the time Greg's in his underwear in the women's bathroom of a retirement community, I wouldn't have minded if the old women calling him a "peeping tom" smacked some sense into him.

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- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 11:00, 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00
- **Paul** (R) 11:40, 2:35, 5:15, 7:45, 10:15
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 10:50, 1:35, 4:20, 7:05, 9:50
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 10:20, 1:00, 3:40, 6:20, 9:05
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 11:20, 2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 10:05
- **Red Riding Hood** (PG-13) 10:15, 12:35, 3:00, 5:30, 7:55, 10:20
- **Rango** (PG) 11:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30, 10:10
- **The Adjustment Bureau** (PG-13) 10:25, 12:50, 3:15, 5:40, 8:05, 10:25
- **AMC Independent The King's Speech** (R) 10:35, 1:25, 4:10, 6:55, 9:40

LANDMARK CENTURY CENTRE CINEMA (LANDMARK)

2828 North Clark St., Chicago
(773) 509-4949

- **Jane Eyre** (PG-13) 11:20, 12:00, 1:50, 3:00, 4:35, 7:20, 10:05
- **Certified Copy** (NR) 11:15, 2:00, 4:45, 7:40, 10:10
- **Of Gods and Men** (PG-13) 11:00, 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00
- **Cedar Rapids** (R) 11:10, 1:45, 4:10, 7:30, 10:10
- **The King's Speech** (R) 11:00, 1:40, 4:25, 7:10, 9:55
- **Win Win** (R) 11:20, 1:55, 4:40, 6:45, 7:45, 9:30, 10:15

CITY NORTH 14 (REGAL)

2600 N. Western Ave.
(800) 326-3264 #1642

- **Hop** (PG) Advance Tickets Available
- **Source Code** (PG-13) Advance Tickets Available
- **Carmen 3D** (NR) 1:00 P.M.
- **Mars Needs Moms 3D** (PG) 11:50, 3:00, 5:40
- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 12:45, 3:45, 6:45, 8:15, 9:45, 11:05
- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30
- **Diary of a Wimpy Kid 2: Rodrick Rules** (PG) 11:30, 12:00, 2:00, 2:40, 4:45, 5:20, 7:15, 8:00, 10:10, 10:45
- **Limitless** (PG-13) (Open captioned) 3:15, 9:15
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 12:15, 1:00, 4:00, 6:15, 7:00, 10:00
- **Paul** (R) 2:15, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 8:30, 9:00, 11:10
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 1:15, 4:15, 7:10, 10:15
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 1:45, 4:45, 7:45, 10:55
- **Red Riding Hood** (PG-13) 5:10, 7:55, 10:40
- **Rango** (PG) 11:45, 12:30, 3:30, 6:30, 9:30
- **The Adjustment Bureau** (PG-13) 12:10, 3:10, 6:10, 9:10

DAVIS THEATRE (VALUE)

4614 N. Lincoln Ave., Chicago
(773) 784-0893

- **Limitless** (PG-13) 12:45, 3:00, 5:15, 7:30, 9:45
- **Paul** (R) 1:10, 3:20, 5:30, 7:40, 9:50
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 11:50, 2:20, 4:50, 7:20, 9:45
- **The Adjustment Bureau** (PG-13) 12:30, 2:45, 5:00, 7:15, 9:40

FORD CITY 14 (AMC)

S. Cicero at 76th., Chicago
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- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 10:30, 1:15, 4:05, 7:00, 9:45, 12:30
- **Paul** (R) 11:40, 2:10, 4:40, 7:30, 10:10
- **Diary of a Wimpy Kid 2: Rodrick Rules** (PG) 11:00, 1:30, 4:05, 6:40, 9:20
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 11:35, 2:15, 4:45, 7:20, 9:55
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 11:15, 2:05, 4:50, 7:40, 10:30
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 10:50, 11:35, 1:40, 2:30, 4:20, 5:10, 7:15, 10:00, 10:35
- **Mars Needs Moms 3D** (PG) 11:05, 1:20, 3:30, 5:45, 8:05, 10:20
- **Rango** (PG) 11:10, 1:50, 4:20, 7:15, 9:45
- **Red Riding Hood** (PG-13) 11:30, 2:05, 4:30, 7:05, 9:30
- **Beastly** (PG-13) 11:50, 2:20, 4:35, 6:50, 9:10
- **I Am Number Four** (PG-13) 5:20, 7:50, 10:30
- **Gnomeo and Juliet** (G) 10:40, 12:50, 3:10
- **Big Mommas: Like Father, Like Son** (PG-13) 11:55, 2:25, 5:05, 7:35, 10:05

GENE SISKEL FILM CENTER

164 State Street
(312) 846-2800

- **La Pivellina** (NR) 3:00 P.M.
- **The Strange Case of Angelica** (NR) 3:15 P.M.
- **The Sleeping Beauty** (NR) 5:00 P.M.
- **The Woman with the 5 Elephants** (NR) 5:15 P.M.
- **Bride Flight** (R) 7:00 P.M.
- **Nothing Personal** (NR) 7:15 P.M.
- **Dust** (NR) 9:15 P.M.
- **9:06** (NR) 9:30 P.M.

LOGAN THEATRE

2646 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago
(773) 252-0628

- **Gnomeo and Juliet** (G) 11:20, 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00
- **Black Swan** (R) 11:00, 1:10, 3:20, 5:30, 7:40, 9:50
- **Just Go With It** (PG-13) 11:10, 2:00, 4:30, 7:10, 10:00
- **Beastly** (PG-13) 11:30, 1:30, 3:25, 5:25, 7:30, 9:40
- **True Grit** (PG-13) 9:30 P.M.

MUSIC BOX

3733 N. Southport, Chicago
(773) 871-6604

- **I Saw the Devil** (NR) 2:30, 5:30, 8:30
- **Outside the Law** (NR) 2:00, 5:00, 8:00
- **The Big Lebowski** (R) 12:00 Midnight
- **Evangelion: 2.0 You Can (Not) Advance** (NR) 12:00 Midnight
- **Cold Weather** (NR) 11:30 A.M.
- **Cat on a Hot Tin Roof** (NR) 11:30 A.M.

PIPER'S ALLEY (AMC)

1608 N. Wells, Chicago
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- **AMC Independent The Last Lions** (PG) 12:20, 2:30, 5:00, 9:40
- **AMC Independent Even the Rain** (NR) 7:00 P.M.
- **AMC Independent Beautiful** (R) 12:10, 3:15, 6:45, 9:50
- **AMC Independent The Illusionist** (PG) 7:30 P.M.
- **AMC Independent Barney's Version** (R) 12:30, 3:30, 9:30
- **AMC Independent Black Swan** (R) 12:00, 2:25, 4:50, 7:15, 10:00

RIVER EAST 21 (AMC)

322 E. Illinois Street, Chicago
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- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 10:30, 1:15, 4:05, 7:00, 9:45, 12:30
- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 11:30, 2:15, 5:05, 8:00, 10:45
- **Diary of a Wimpy Kid 2: Rodrick Rules** (PG) 10:30, 1:05, 3:35, 6:15, 8:50, 11:25
- **Paul** (R) 10:45, 1:20, 4:00, 6:40, 9:20, 12:00
- **Paul** (R) 11:45, 2:20, 5:00, 7:45, 10:20
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 10:00, 12:40, 3:15, 6:00, 8:45, 11:35
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 11:20, 1:40, 4:15, 7:10, 9:50, 12:20
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 11:15, 2:10, 5:10, 8:25, 11:15
- **AMC Independent Win Win** (R) 10:40, 1:25, 4:20, 7:15, 9:55, 12:25
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 10:15, 1:10, 4:10, 7:20, 10:15
- **AMC Independent Win Win** (R) 11:40, 2:25, 5:20, 8:10, 10:55
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 10:10, 11:10, 12:05, 3:55, 4:55, 7:45, 9:35, 10:50
- **Mars Needs Moms 3D** (PG) 11:35, 2:00, 4:15, 6:30, 8:55, 11:20
- **Red Riding Hood** (PG-13) 11:20, 1:50, 4:25, 6:55, 9:30, 12:05
- **AMC Independent Kill the Irishman** (R) 1:00, 6:45, 12:25
- **AMC Independent Jane Eyre** (PG-13) 10:05, 11:05, 12:50, 2:00, 3:40, 4:50, 6:35, 7:40, 9:25, 10:40, 12:10
- **Rango** (PG) 11:50, 2:30, 5:25, 8:15, 10:55
- **The Adjustment Bureau** (PG-13) 11:25, 1:55, 4:35, 7:25, 10:10
- **AMC Independent The King's Speech** (R) 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30
- **Hall Pass** (R) 10:50, 1:35, 4:20, 7:05, 9:40, 12:15

SHOWPLACE VILLAGE CROSSING (AMC)

7000 Carpenter Rd., Chicago
(800) 326-3264 #2309

- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 11:35, 2:30, 5:25, 8:20, 11:05
- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 10:15, 1:10, 4:05, 7:00, 9:55
- **Diary of a Wimpy Kid 2: Rodrick Rules** (PG) 11:15, 2:00, 4:45, 7:30, 10:15
- **Diary of a Wimpy Kid 2: Rodrick Rules** (PG) 10:00, 12:40, 3:25, 6:10, 8:55, 11:20
- **Paul** (R) 10:05, 12:45, 3:40, 6:30, 9:20
- **Paul** (R) 11:00, 2:05, 4:50, 7:40, 10:30
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 10:10, 12:55, 3:45, 6:35, 9:25
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 11:20, 2:10, 5:10, 8:00, 10:50
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 10:10, 1:05, 4:20, 7:20, 10:25
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 12:15, 3:20, 6:25, 9:30
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 11:05, 2:20, 5:30, 8:30, 11:15
- **Red Riding Hood** (PG-13) 10:35, 1:25, 4:10, 6:50, 9:35
- **Mars Needs Moms** (PG) 10:25, 1:00, 3:30, 6:05, 8:40, 11:00
- **Rango** (PG) 10:30, 1:20, 4:15, 7:10, 10:05
- **Beastly** (PG-13) 1:15, 8:40
- **The Adjustment Bureau** (PG-13) 10:00, 12:30, 3:15, 5:55, 8:45, 11:15
- **Just Go With It** (PG-13) 10:20, 3:35, 9:10
- **Hall Pass** (R) 11:30, 2:25, 5:20, 8:10, 11:10
- **AMC Independent The King's Speech** (R) 10:50, 1:40, 4:40, 7:50, 10:55

WEBSTER PLACE 11 (REGAL)

1471 W. Webster Ave., Chicago
(800) 326-3264 #1641

- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 2:00, 4:40, 7:10, 10:00
- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 1:00, 3:40, 6:30, 9:10
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 1:20, 4:30, 7:20, 10:20
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 1:40, 4:20, 7:00, 9:50
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 1:50, 4:50, 7:30, 10:10
- **The Adjustment Bureau** (PG-13) 1:15, 4:00, 6:40, 9:30
- **Paul** (R) 1:30, 3:00, 4:10, 5:30, 6:50, 8:00, 9:40, 10:30
- **Red Riding Hood** (PG-13) 2:30, 5:10, 7:50, 10:15
- **Rango** (PG) 1:10, 3:50, 6:20, 9:00
- **Hall Pass** (R) 1:45, 4:15, 6:45, 9:20

SHOWPLACE GALEWOOD 14 (AMC)

E. Side of Central Ave., just S. of Grand Ave., Chicago
(800) 326-3264 #1646

- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 11:15, 2:05, 4:40, 7:15, 9:50
- **Diary of a Wimpy Kid 2: Rodrick Rules** (PG) 11:00, 1:45, 4:30, 7:05, 9:30
- **Paul** (R) 11:55, 2:45, 5:35, 8:15, 10:50
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 11:50, 2:40, 5:30, 8:05, 10:35
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 10:45, 11:35, 1:30, 2:30, 4:15, 5:15, 7:00, 8:00, 9:45, 10:45
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 10:50, 1:55, 4:55, 7:40, 10:25
- **Mars Needs Moms 3D** (PG) 10:30, 12:45, 2:55, 5:05, 7:25, 9:40
- **Red Riding Hood** (PG-13) 10:30, 12:55, 3:20, 5:45, 8:10, 10:40
- **Rango** (PG) 11:30, 2:35, 5:10, 7:50, 10:20
- **Beastly** (PG-13) 11:45, 2:20, 4:35, 6:50, 9:00
- **I Am Number Four** (PG-13) 10:40, 1:20, 4:00, 6:40, 9:15
- **Big Mommas: Like Father, Like Son** (PG-13) 11:20, 2:10, 4:50, 7:35, 10:10
- **Gnomeo and Juliet 3D** (G) 11:40, 2:00, 4:20, 6:30, 8:50

SHOWPLACE CICERO 14 (AMC)

4779 W. Cermak, Cicero
(800) 326-3264 #1644

- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 12:30, 3:00, 5:30, 8:30, 11:15
- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 11:15, 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 10:10
- **Diary of a Wimpy Kid 2: Rodrick Rules** (PG) 10:00, 12:45, 3:15, 5:45, 8:15, 11:00
- **Paul** (R) 10:05, 12:35, 3:10, 5:35, 8:00, 10:40
- **Diary of a Wimpy Kid 2: Rodrick Rules** (PG) 11:30, 2:00, 4:45, 7:30, 10:00
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 11:40, 2:15, 5:00, 7:45, 10:30
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 1:20, 4:05, 7:05, 9:40
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 10:30, 11:45, 1:30, 2:40, 4:15, 5:40, 7:10, 8:40, 10:15, 11:20
- **Mars Needs Moms 3D** (PG) 10:10, 12:20, 2:25, 4:40, 7:00, 9:10
- **Rango** (PG) 12:00, 2:30, 5:10, 7:40, 10:20
- **Red Riding Hood** (PG-13) 10:15, 1:00, 3:20, 5:40, 8:10, 10:45
- **Gnomeo and Juliet 3D** (G) 10:40, 12:40, 2:45, 4:50, 6:50, 9:00
- **Beastly** (PG-13) 11:00, 1:10, 3:20, 5:20, 7:25, 9:45

SHOWPLACE ICON AT ROOSEVELT COLLECTION

Clark & Roosevelt, South Loop, Chicago
(312) 564-2104

- **Diary of a Wimpy Kid 2: Rodrick Rules** (PG) 10:45, 11:45, 1:10, 2:40, 4:00, 5:20, 6:45, 9:10
- **Jane Eyre** (PG-13) 10:15, 1:15, 4:15, 7:15, 8:10, 10:15, 11:00
- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 10:00, 10:40, 12:40, 1:30, 3:30, 4:20, 6:15, 7:10, 8:50, 10:10, 11:40
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 11:10, 12:30, 1:45, 3:20, 4:30, 6:10, 7:00, 8:40, 9:30, 11:15, 12:00
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 10:30, 12:20, 1:20, 3:10, 4:10, 6:00, 7:20, 9:00, 10:25, 11:50
- **Paul** (R) 11:30, 2:15, 5:10, 7:50, 10:30
- **Mars Needs Moms 3D** (PG) 10:10, 12:50, 3:40
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 11:20, 2:20, 5:15, 8:00, 10:50
- **Red Riding Hood** (PG-13) 11:15, 2:00, 4:50, 7:45, 10:40
- **The Adjustment Bureau** (PG-13) 11:50, 2:30, 5:00, 7:40, 10:20
- **Rango** (PG) 10:20, 1:00, 3:50, 6:30, 9:20
- **Hall Pass** (R) 6:20, 9:15, 11:45
- **The King's Speech** (R) 10:50, 1:50, 4:40, 7:30, 10:05

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- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 8:50, 11:40
- **Limitless** (PG-13) 11:10, 1:45, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30, 12:00
- **The Lincoln Lawyer** (R) 11:20, 3:10, 6:00

OAK PARK

LAKE CINEMAS (CLASSIC)

1022 Lake Street, Oak Park
(630) 444-FILM #560

- **Rango** (PG) 12:00, 2:20, 4:40, 7:05, 9:30
- **Sucker Punch** (PG-13) 12:10, 2:35, 5:00, 7:25, 9:50
- **Paul** (R) 12:40, 3:00, 5:20, 7:40, 10:00
- **Battle: Los Angeles** (PG-13) 1:30, 4:15, 7:

Kicked while they're down

The NFL decided this week that kickoffs now will be placed at the 35-yard line instead of the 30. Which means more touchbacks. Which means far fewer chances for returns by Devin Hester. First the loss to Green Bay, and now this. Gee, thanks for nothing, NFL Competition Committee. Now the Bears have to rely even more on Jay Cutler to move the ball. Seems like cruel and unusual punishment for Bears fans.

Devin Hester
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Fight club

Carlos Silva complained at the start of spring training that he shouldn't have to compete for a spot in the Cubs' starting rotation. But all he's done is post a 10.90 ERA in 17 1/3 innings and get into an altercation with Aramis Ramirez in the dugout. What's Silva going to do when the games actually count? The Cubs can't afford to have two Carloses constantly on the verge of a meltdown.

Broken crown?

As the regular season winds down, the defending Stanley Cup champion Blackhawks are hovering around fourth place, which would give them home-ice advantage in the first round of the playoffs. They're also not far from 10th, which would send them home for the summer. This could be a long couple of weeks of nail biting.

College hoops isn't the only sport driving us mad

RedEye

There's the good kind of March Madness—the Cinderella teams, buzzer beaters and watching hoops at work. (Did we just say that?) Then there's the ugly kind, specifically the Chicago sports developments that make you want to smash your TV. Here are the recent stories that have made us roll our eyes in frustration.

Peeved about Peavy

Jake Peavy (right) got White Sox fans' hopes up in spring training when his recovery from surgery appeared to be ahead of schedule. But now he's got shoulder tendinitis, and manager Ozzie Guillen was not pleased. "Jake Peavy will pitch the day I tell him to pitch," Guillen told the Tribune. "He's not going to convince me. I don't care." Let's hope this is the last setback for the \$15 million-a-year man. PHIL VELASQUEZ/TRIBUNE



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Seeing as the Bulls have wrapped up the Central Division, they had might as well ...

... ring in spring.

... just go ahead and take No. 1 in the East and win the NBA title.

... whip their hair back and forth.

... start a regular-people fantasy league. With the No. 1 pick, Derrick Rose selects Jeanette from accounting ...

... sip pina colodas and watch "Pretty Woman" while getting mani-pedis. Also known as Tuesday for the Cavs.



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FRIDAY'S SOLUTIONS

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ACROSS

- 1 Peanut butter container
- 4 Before's opposite
- 9 Chinese restaurant staple
- 13 Fleur-de-lis
- 15 Cheek coloring
- 16 TV's "American _"
- 17 Present
- 18 Cuban dance of African origin
- 19 Rub one's fingers over
- 20 Immortal
- 22 Boys
- 23 Pinky & Bruce
- 24 Vein contents
- 26 Troll
- 29 Star of TV's "Get Smart"
- 34 Confidence
- 35 Three and four
- 36 Acquire
- 37 Male red deer
- 38 Taunted
- 39 German wife
- 40 Greek letter
- 41 Foretell the future
- 42 Actress Sally
- 43 Telling, as a story
- 45 Denial of a religious tenet
- 46 Sleeping place
- 47 Ashen
- 48 Fishhook's point, for one
- 51 Helper
- 56 Margarine
- 57 Parts of speech
- 58 Yellow Brick _
- 60 " _ this where I came in?"
- 61 Sahara Desert transport
- 62 Double agent
- 63 Plenty
- 64 Wear away
- 65 _ York City

DOWN

- 1 Irish dance
- 2 Very dry
- 3 Abundant
- 4 Foot insteps

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- 5 Nincompoops
- 6 Melody
- 7 Breakfast order
- 8 _ with;
- 9 _ through; ransacked
- 10 Brainstorm
- 11 Like schools for both genders
- 12 Building wings
- 14 Least fresh
- 21 Quiz
- 25 Galloped
- 26 Each _; one another
- 27 Shred cheese
- 28 Of the countryside
- 29 Use a pest control service
- 30 Above
- 31 See eye to eye
- 32 Repasts
- 33 Burn the midnight oil
- 35 Aries or Libra
- 38 Advice; counsel
- 39 Weapon
- 41 Consumed
- 42 Fez material
- 44 Monastery superiors
- 45 Red tape
- 47 Longed
- 48 Sore as a _
- 49 Additionally
- 50 Pay a landlord
- 52 Fly high
- 53 Japanese wrestling form
- 54 Lunch hour
- 55 Story
- 59 A.M. grass moisture

KAKURO

Enter a number between 1 and 9 in the empty squares. The clues are the numbers in the white circles that give the sum of the solution numbers: above the line are across clues; below the line are down clues. Thus, a clue of 3 will produce a solution of 2 and 1, and a 5 will produce 4 and 1, or 2 and 3, but, of course, which squares they go in will depend on the solution of a clue in the other direction. No digit can be repeated in a solution. Answer at redyeichicago.com/puzzles. EDITED BY MICHAEL MEPHAM

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SCRABBLE

Make a 2- to 7-letter word from the letters in each row. Add points of each word, using scoring directions at right. Finally, 7-letter words get a 50-point bonus. "Blanks" used as any letter have no point value. All the words are in the Official Scrabble Players Dictionary, 4th Edition. Find the answer at redyeichicago.com/puzzles.

I ₁	I ₁	Z ₁₀	T ₁	K ₅	B ₃	B ₃
A ₁	I ₁	U ₁	R ₁	T ₁	P ₃	S ₁
E ₁	I ₁	O ₁	B ₃	R ₁	C ₃	M ₃
A ₁	E ₁	E ₁	L ₁	F ₄	W ₄	R ₁

PAR SCORE 210-220
BEST SCORE 286

FOUR RACK TOTAL _____
TIME LIMIT: 20 MIN

RACK 1

RACK 2

RACK 3

RACK 4

3rd Letter
Double

Triple
Word Score



Snoop Dogg
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John Cho (center)
and Kal Penn

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How high?

It's going to take awhile for the smoke to clear on these movies

You just might have to get up off the couch for this one. Snoop Dogg and Wiz Khalifa are all about their pot stashes on their new track "The Weed Iz Mine" from the upcoming movie "High School." And no, this isn't a "Billy Madison" remake—we'll be taking some lessons in marijuana. Snoop and Khalifa aren't the only high-minded ones in Hollywood. Here's a breakdown of three pot-smokin' adventures coming soon to a screen near you.

**By Dana
Moran**
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	THE HEROES	THE VILLAINS	THE POT	THE PLOT	SEE IT
'HIGH SCHOOL'	Snoop and Khalifa, presumably as themselves.	Teachers? The man? We're not really sure.	It's Snoop. What more do you need to know?	Khalifa told Rolling Stone: "It's about pot, of course. But it's also a spinoff of us being cool in the industry, and smoking a lot of weed." Beyond that? Your guess is as good as ours.	Set for direct-to-DVD release April 20, according to mtv.com
'A VERY HAROLD AND KUMAR CHRISTMAS'	Harold (John Cho) and Kumar (Kal Penn) are back.	Neil Patrick Harris, returning as an evil version of himself.	The duo accidentally burns down Harold's father's Christmas tree. We've got a pretty good idea of how that happened.	After torching the tree, Harold and Kumar must face the treacheries of New York City to find a new one in time to save Christmas. We assume hot dog vendors will help them on this quest.	In theaters Nov. 4
'YOUR HIGHNESS'	Fabious (James Franco) and Isabel (Natalie Portman).	Leezar (Justin Theroux), who is rich, lives in a castle and can do magic, according to the trailer. What else does a lady need, really?	Fabious' slacker brother, Thadeous (Danny McBride). Get off the royal couch already!	Prince Fabious' fiancée is captured, and his toke-happy brother, Thadeous, has to get himself together in order to help save her. Along the way, they meet nearly-nude warrior Isabel and also apparently fall into a literal booby trap.	In theaters April 8

red hot

Oh Father

In what looks like a big ol' middle finger to dear ol' dad, Lindsay Lohan is losing her last name. "Lindsay is dropping the Lohan and just going by Lindsay," her mom, Dina, told PopEater. "Plus, me and [younger daughter] Ali will be officially changing our last names back to my maiden name, Sullivan." LiSul? Yeah, too clean.



Silverman

Misunderstood

Controversial comic Sarah Silverman isn't always trying to provoke people, but strangers often react to her that way. "It's funny how people will think I'm being sarcastic a lot and joking," she said. "So I'll say, 'I like your dress,' and they'll go, '[Bleep] you!' Or I say something serious and they go, 'Oh, yeah, ha-ha.'" Silverman performs her stand-up Saturday at The Chicago Theatre. For the full interview, go to redeyechicago.com.

“Keep [bleeping] with me you ain't gon have no future.”

—B.o.B snaps back at rap group Odd Future on his new track, "No Future," after they dissed his hit single, "Airplanes."



Lindsay
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Lopez



Alley

Fat chance

Is Kirstie Alley going to accept George Lopez's apology for his fat joke about her on his talk show? Alley told her tweeps, "Just remember what happens to the big bad, drunk wolf [sic] ... falls in a boiling pot of vodka. Piggy laughs." But Lopez seems to have seen the error of his ways, tweeting "I apologize to Kirstie."

A star is never on time

Legend Elizabeth Taylor left instructions explaining that she wanted to show up 15 minutes late to her own funeral, according to People. Her wish was granted, and she was interred in the same California mausoleum as her friend, Michael Jackson.

More from Pitchfork

The Pitchfork peeps announced more bands for the music fest, set for July 15-17 at Union Park. Guided by Voices and Neko Case will play Friday; No Age, Gang Gang Dance, G-Side and Chrissy Murderbot are added to Saturday; and Sunday will see The Fresh & Onlys, Radio Dept., Health, Shabazz Palaces, Baths, How to Dress Well, Kurt Vile and Twin Sister.



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